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In re Application of:)
Yasushi OGIHARA Jun 1 3 2005 5) Confirmation No.: 8198
Application No.: 10/625,545) Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: July 24, 2003) Examiner: A. Amari
For: MICROSCOPE SYSTEM)

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In a Restriction Requirement dated May 18, 2005, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Group I (claims 2-4, 8 and 15), Group II (claims 5 and 6), Group III (claim 7), Group IV (claim 9), Group V (claim 10), Group VI (claim 11) and Group VII (claims 12 and 13). Applicant hereby elects Group I (claims 2-4, 8 and 15) for examination. Applicant respectfully requests formal examination of this application.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 136 not accounted for above, such extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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